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Customer No. 22,852

Attorney Docket No. 03495-0197-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Pierre CHARNEAU et al.) Group Art Unit: 1633
Serial No.: 09/685,343)
Filed: October 11, 2000)
For: LENTIVIRAL TRIPLEX DNA, AND)
VECTORS AND RECOMBINANT)
CELLS CONTAINING)
LENTIVIRAL TRIPLEX DNA)

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of June 6, 2001, the period for response having been restarted on October 21, 2001. The items checked below are appropriate:

Applicants hereby petition for a three months extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$920 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	30	-	43	0	x \$ 18	\$ 0
Indep.	4	-	5	0	x \$ 84	0
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					Subtotal	\$ 0
					Reduction by ½ if small entity	-
					TOTAL	\$ 0

A fee of \$0 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.

An Amendment is enclosed.

A check for \$920 to cover the above fee is enclosed.

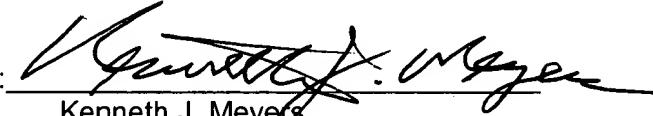
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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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